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Transmitted herewith for filing is the divisional patent application of Dale Cheney for  
VEHICLE STORAGE BOX WITH SINGLE HINGED DOUBLE SECURED  
COMPARTMENTS AND DUAL ACTUATING CAM LATCHES comprising 26 pages of  
specification and claims, and a copy of the Declaration, Power of Attorney and Petition, with  
signatures, filed in the parent application.

X This application is a divisional of U. S. Application No.09/465,507, filed  
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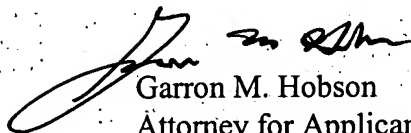
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